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Public Meeting and Opportunity for Public Comment on the Animas River/Gold King Mine Incident

Durango, CO – The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Public Information Officer Libby Faulk will be available to visit with community members at the County Administration Building at 1101 E 2nd Avenue, Durango between 5:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 8, 2015. In order to allow as much opportunity as possible, individual conversations will be limited to 10 minutes.

There will be a live-streamed public meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 9, 2015 at Miller Middle School Auditorium, 2608 Junction Street, Durango. The link listen to the public meeting will be posted to the La Plata County website at <http://www.co.laplata.co.us/emergency>, San Juan Basin Health Department's Website at www.sjbhd.org, La Plata County Government Facebook and San Juan Basin Health Department Facebook.

La Plata County has set up a Call Center for the public at 970-385-8700. The EPA has set up a website for the event at www.epaosc.org/GoldKingMine. Links to this site are provided on the County's website and San Juan Basin Health Department's website as well.

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